



For: TRANSPARENT OR TRANSLUCENT PAPER ENVELOPE

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

XX Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established previously.

A statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|---------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| | Claims Remaining After Amendment | Highest Number Previously Paid For | | Present Extra | Small Entity | Large Entity | Additional Fee |
| Total Claims | 27 | 26 | = | 1 | X \$9 | X \$18 | 9.00 |
| Independent Claims | 1 | 3 | = | | X \$42 | X \$84 | |
| First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims | | | | | \$135 | 270 | |
| TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED: | | | | | | | \$9.00 |

XX Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$64.00 (\$9.00 + \$55.00) for the additional claims fee and the cost of the extension in connection with this amendment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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